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BOATANCHORS Digest 1646

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Date: Fri, 29 Aug 1997 23:08:32 -0700 (PDT)  
From: John Kolb <jlkolb@cts.com>  
To: Ken Gordon <keng@uidaho.edu>  
Cc: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Re: My R-390...  
Message-ID: <Pine.SC0.3.91.970829230635.15401C-100000@sd.cts.com>

On Fri, 29 Aug 1997, Ken Gordon wrote:

> Well, I tried to fire it up last night. Got a really good "tingle" from  
> the case, indicating that there is a BIG leakage from the AC input to the  
> chassis somewhere.  
>

The "tingle" is normal, caused by the large capacitors in the power line filter. The set MUST be properly grounded to cure this. Some users go so far as to remove the power line filter to prevent the leakage.

John Kolb KK6IL

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 06:42:52 +0200  
From: "OZ8R0" <otterstad@inet.uni-c.dk>  
To: <brainbol@lawrence.ks.us>, "Old Tube Radios" <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: FS Old Harrison Radio catalogues  
Message-ID: <199708300646.IAA04118@inet.uni-c.dk>

Anybody interested in mint Harrison Radio catalogues from 1960s ?

73 Rag OZ8R0

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 19:05:48 +1000  
From: Morris Odell <morriso@vifp.monash.edu.au>  
To: boatanchors@sco.theporch.com  
Subject: BA haunts in Chicago  
Message-ID: <3407E26C.DD5@vifp.monash.edu.au>

Hi all,

A good friend of mine and boatanchorite Bob VK3BRF will be visiting Chicago on business next week. He will be at a suburb with a name like Downer's Grove or something like that. Bob is interested in BA books or gear (especially test gear such as Tek plugins) that he could bring back home.

Any ideas where he could visit? I know this list will have the answers if they exist!!

73 de Morris VK3DOC

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 06:52:02 -0400  
From: Mike Warren <m\_warren@compuserve.com>  
To: "INTERNET:boatanchors@theporch.com" <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: ... the test of time  
Message-ID: <199708300652\_MC2-1E9B-BEEE@compuserve.com>

The Classic Exchange will run from 1900 UTC September 28, to 0400 UTC September 29, 1997. Exchange your name, RST, QTH

(state/province for US/Canada; country for DX), receiver and transmitter type (homebrew send final amp tube or transistor), and other interesting conversation. The same station may be worked with different equipment combinations on each band and on each mode. CW call "CQ CX;" phone call "CQ Classic Exchange." Non-participants may be worked for credit.

Suggested frequencies:

CW: 3.560, 7.060, 14.120, 21.180, 28.240

Novice/Tech Plus: 3.695, 7.120, 21.180, 28.240

Phone: 3.880, 7.290, 14.280, 21.380, 28.320

7.060 and 3.560 tend to be the most popular CX frequencies.

Scoring: Multiply total QSO's (all bands) by total number of different receivers plus transmitters (transceivers count as both xmtr and rcvr) plus states/provinces/countries worked on each band and mode. Multiply that total by your CX Multiplier, the total years old of all receivers and transmitters used, three QSO's minimum per unit. For transceiver, multiply age by two. If equipment is homebrew, count it as a minimum of 25 years old unless actual construction date or date of its construction article (in the case of a "reproduction") is older:

Total QSO's all bands  
times  
RCVRs + XMTRs + states/provinces/countries  
(total each band and mode separately; add totals together)  
times  
CX Multiplier:

SCORE = QSO's x ( Rx + Tx + QTH's ) x CX Mult

Certificates and appropriate memorabilia are awarded every now and then for the highest score, the longest DX, exotic equipment, best excuses and other unusual achievements. Send logs, comments, anecdotes, pictures to Jim Hanlon, P.O. Box 581, Sandia Park, NM 87047, or to Marty Reynolds, AA4RM, POB 13354, Atlanta, GA 30324. Include TWO-stamp SASE for next CX Newsletter and announcement of next CX.

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 07:50:12 -0400 (EDT)  
From: MODSTEPH@ACS.EKU.EDU  
To: boatanchors@theporch.com  
Subject: CX announcement fixing...  
Message-ID: <01IN1KDG61760097LG@ACS.EKU.EDU>

...for some reason when the announcement came back to me, quotation marks had been converted to capital R and capital S - so if you see those where they do not seem to belong, substitute quotation marks...

and See you in CX!

73, A1 N5AIT  
modsteph@acs.eku.edu  
Allan Stephens  
Richmond, Kentucky

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 07:53:46 -0400 (EDT)  
From: MODSTEPH@ACS.EKU.EDU  
To: boatanchors@theporch.com  
Subject: CX fixin' 2  
Message-ID: <01IN1KJH4HL80097LG@ACS.EKU.EDU>

... and single quotes came thru as capital U.. please adjust accordingly

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 07:53:00 -0500  
From: "Michael J. Wade" <wade@iquest.net>  
To: "Boatanchors" <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Fw: Problem with KWM-2A  
Message-ID: <199708301321.IAA21771@sco.theporch.com>

I have been using this radio up until a few weeks ago. I was listening on the 20M band and the tx/rx relay pulled cutting off the rx however the versa tuner was not showing any output. the relay chattered a few times and it sounded as if something was shorting out. On visual inspection I can not see anything physically wrong. Nor do i smell any hot components (resistors, caps, ect...) just like arcing electricity. Though I do not see it arcing any where.

Also It would do this with the mic unplugged and the mic gain off. in the

usb mode.

Any help would be appreciated.

73 de kb9kdg  
Indianapolis, IN

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 13:20:17 UTC  
From: n5off@w5ddl.aara.org  
To: boatanchors@theporch.com  
Subject: Call Box/Private Phone System  
Message-ID: <75014@w5ddl.aara.org>

The notes about the call boxes reminded me of a private phone system that was present in the old home of a high school friend in Crowley, LA back in the 70's.

"Off Topic" warning.

There is a neighborhood in Crowley with large old wooden homes built by the well-to-do in the early 1900's. My friend's home was connected to a home a few blocks away by old antique phones with no dial. As I recall, each phone had a ringer, and a way to send a ring to the other home.

Neither owner knew the exact story of how or why the system was installed, but it still works, they don't perform any maintenance on it, and receive no bills.

Hmmmm!!

73 Tom

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 97 09:22:04 -0400  
From: provero@connix.com  
To: boatanchors@theporch.com  
Subject: #55 Light Bulbs (revisited)  
Message-ID: <199708301331.JAA10282@comet.connix.com>

Some recent SRR-13 parts swapping with Dave Sundheimer has confirmed that all #55 light bulbs are not created equal.

This is the bulb used in the FRR/MRR/SRR series receivers, in an elaborate projected frequency display. The bulb,

and a spare, are mounted in adjustable holders on a carriage assembly that allows switching between primary and backup bulbs. Burnt out or out-of-adjustment bulbs equals no direct frequency readout....

The original #55's, and the Chicago Miniature Lamp Works replacements provided by Dave, have the filament at the center of the spherical glass envelope.

The replacement EIKO #55's (made in Taiwan) have the filament about half the distance between the center and top of the envelope.

That tiny difference is enough to make EIKO 55's less than useful in FRR/MRR/SRR receivers. The adjustable holders can't be adjusted enough to get a decent frequency display.

Kinda makes you wonder about newly manufactured replacement tubes. If something as simple as a light bulb can get screwed up, who knows what happens to triodes, pentodes and the like...

P.J. "Josh" Rovero	home:	provero@connix.com
Meteorologist	radio:	KK1D
Oceanographer	work:	rovero@sonalysts.com
Curmudgeon-at-Large	web:	<a href="http://www.connix.com/~provero/">http://www.connix.com/~provero/</a>

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 06:24:02 -0700  
From: "August H. Johnson" <kg7bz@whitemtns.com>  
To: boatanchors@theporch.com  
Subject: Collins 26W Limiting Amplifier info  
Message-ID: <34081EF2.4FF4@whitemtns.com>

Hi All,

Does anybody have the manual or schematic for a Collins 26W Limiting Amplifier? I just acquired one and sure could use any info on it. It's a nice Audio compression amplifier with adjustable attack and decay times.

73,  
August  
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August Johnson KG7BZ AMI 733  
P.O. Box 2231  
Show Low, AZ 85901

<http://www.whitemtns.com/~kg7bz>  
<mailto:kg7bz@whitemtns.com>

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 09:33:22 -0700  
From: "Rob Frans" <fransr@iserv.net>  
To: "Boatanchors" <boatanchors@theporch.com>,  
"Heath List Server" <heath@listserv.tempe.gov>  
Subject: WTB: Manual, Heath RX-1 Mohawk  
Message-ID: <199708301340.JAA08617@mail.iserv.net>

Hi... Does anyone have either an original or copy of an RX-1 Manual?  
Please let me know... \

73,  
Rob Frans  
KC8BAP  
Grand Rapids, MI

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 08:57:53 -0500  
From: "Jim Zellmer" <zellmer@raccoon.com>  
To: "boatanchors digest" <boatanchors@sco.theporch.com>  
Subject: Fw: Ham Gear that Stands the Test of Time  
Message-ID: <199708301336.IAA00864@slip1.raccoon.com>

> > I'm sure there are many other items I haven't thought of. Anybody care  
to  
> > add to the list?  
> >  
> > 73,  
> >  
> > Jim Garland W8ZR  
>

How about the Autek Research QF-1A SSB/CW/AM Filter.

I recall seeing this item in a late 60's ham mag.

73 ES GOD BLESS U ES URS

JIM ZELLMER, KA0VSL

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 10:54:21 -0400 (EDT)  
From: leeboo@ct.net (Leon Wiltsey)  
To: BOATANCHORS@SCO.THEPORCH.COM  
Subject: I G00000000000FED  
Message-ID: <199708301454.KAA13185@blue.ct.net>

HI GANG  
WHAT I REALLY FOUND OUT i NEEDED TNX TO YOU NICE GUYS WAS FT243 XTAL HOLDERS.  
THANK THE LORD FOR ALL YOU HAVE

68 yr old semidisabled senior  
(stroke got my balance & hand to eye coordination)  
ham agn as KF4RCL TECK+ (MUCH HAPPINESS)  
BUILD MOST STATION EQUIP  
SUB.BA & GB-- NO SOLID STATE

LEON B WILTSEY (Lee) tel. 941 471 3739  
4600 Lake Haven BLVD.  
Sebring, Fl. 33872 (SEBRING) WHERE THERE IS NO QRM FROM THE LOCALS

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 09:14:00 -0600  
From: Jack Harper <jharper@bs2000.com>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: BA Haunts in ZS Land?  
Message-ID: <3.0.1.32.19970830091400.00b0d1ec@teal.csn.net>

Greetings all...

I will be in South Africa on business for a week, this next week, and am wondering if anyone is aware of any interesting BA related places/things to see in/near Capetown/Johannesburg?

I don't recall ever seeing any ZS calls on the BA List -- but one can be hopeful...

Regards to all...

Jack, KC0LR (Friend to all things Hammarlund)

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Jack Harper  
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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 08:59:17 -0600  
From: Jack Harper <jharper@bs2000.com>  
To: boatanchors@theporch.com  
Subject: Re: Ham Gear that Stands the Test of Time  
Message-ID: <3.0.1.32.19970830085917.00b0d1ec@teal.csn.net>

At 05:26 8/28/97 -0400, you wrote:  
>At 09:04 PM 8/29/97 -0400, Jim Garland W8ZR wrote:  
>>what ham gear and accessories, currently for sale new, has had the longest  
>>market life (say thirty years or longer) and is mostly unchanged from the  
>>day it was introduced?  
<snip>

>  
>Many Cushcraft antennas:  
>A50-5, A144-7 and similar  
>  
>Rohn towers, (25,45,55 etc)  
>  
>Henry amplifiers (2K etc)  
>  
>  
>73, Steve - N1SR  
>  
>

and, of course, the HyGain HyTower vertical antenna...

Regards

Jack, KC0LR (Friend to all things Hammarlund)

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 12:26:30 -0400 (EDT)  
From: Jderm740@aol.com  
To: boatanchors@theporch.com  
Subject: Amphenol Connectors & digest 1643  
Message-ID: <970830122620\_-1871148192@emout05.mail.aol.com>

Hi Gang

Does anyone where I can get a quantity of early Amphenol cable and base connectors. These were very popular with RCA test equipment and others. They were used for RF and also Audio service. I have a bunch of RCA pieces and need to make cables to fit.

Also missed digest 1643. Got 1644 & 1642 OK.

Jack Jderm740@aol.com  
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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 12:05:18 -0500 (CDT)  
From: Bob Roehrig <broehrig@admin.aurora.edu>  
To: Boatanchors <boatanchors@sco.theporch.com>  
Subject: Another RCH question  
Message-ID: <Pine.ULT.3.96.970830120217.12867A-1000000@admin.aurora.edu>

OK folks. This one has me stumped. There is nothing really unusual about the circuit in this receiver except the detector. Obviously, the left half of the 6H6 (plate to IF can, cathode to ground) is the detector itself. But what does the other half do and how is R138 adjusted?

E-mail broehrig@admin.aurora.edu 73 de Bob, K9EUI  
CIS: Data / Telecom Aurora University, Aurora, IL  
630-844-4898 Fax 630-844-5530

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 12:47:39 -0500  
From: w0nbz@juno.com (David M Sundheimer)  
To: boatanchors@theporch.com  
Subject: 6082WB Tubes  
Message-ID: <19970830.124741.11190.4.w0nbz@juno.com>

Sorry,BAers,I don't know what happened to my message before.Here goes

again:

6068WB regulator tubes for the R-390 receivers are available from:  
Lowell Thomas, K6KC at (202) 227-1605. His e-mail is  
k6kc@lightspeed.net.

They are \$4.50 ea. See his ad in ER ,August, page 54.

Sorry 'bout that        Dave        w0nbz@juno.com

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 97 13:00:19 -0500  
From: "Joseph W. Pinner" <kc5ijd@sprintmail.com>  
To: "Boatanchor 1" <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Re: Ham Gear that Stands the Test of Time  
Message-ID: <199708301811.LAA11968@mailgate21>

I would add the following:

RCA phono jack - that much maligned audio/RF connector  
UHF connector - still found everywhere

73

Joseph W Pinner  
Lafayette, LA  
KC5IJD  
EMail: kc5ijd@sprintmail.com (NEW PLEASE USE)

kc5ijd@net-connect.net (OLD will still be valid for a month or so)

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 11:47:08 -0700  
From: Eugene Rippen <soundval@foothill.net>  
To: m\_warren@compuserve.com  
Cc: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Re: ... the test of time  
Message-ID: <34086AAC.BBF@foothill.net>

Vibroplex Keys haven't changed much. That's older than  
co-ax relays.

Mike Warren wrote:

we got to wondering what ham gear and  
> >accessories, currently for sale now, has had the  
> >longest market life (say thirty years or longer)

> >and is mostly unchanged from the day it was  
> >introduced?  
>  
> Dow-Key Co-ax relays (unchanged except the price!).  
>  
Gene

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 15:11:28 -0500  
From: w0nbz@juno.com (David M Sundheimer)  
To: boatanchors@theporch.com  
Subject: 6082WB Correction  
Message-ID: <19970830.151149.13614.2.w0nbz@juno.com>

BA'ers--This has not been my week.As Colin Thompson informed me, there  
is NO area code 202 in California. The correct area code is 209.I'm going  
back to bed.....  
Dave w0nbz@juno.com

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 14:52:54 +0100  
From: Neal McEwen K5RW <nmcewen@metronet.com>  
To: soundval@foothill.net  
Cc: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Re: ... the test of time  
Message-ID: <340825B6.74CB@metronet.com>

Eugene Rippen wrote:

>  
> Vibroplex Keys haven't changed much. That's older than  
> co-ax relays.

The Vibroplex "Original" model has been made since 1905. There have  
been only a few very minor changes since then. 90 years is not bad for  
a product life cycle!

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73 de K5RW, Neal McEwen, at "The Telegraph Office", nmcewen@metronet.com  
A WWW Page for Telegraph Key Collectors and Historians  
[http://fohnix.metronet.com/~nmcewen/tel\\_off.html](http://fohnix.metronet.com/~nmcewen/tel_off.html)

Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 16:34:34 -0400  
From: Mike Sullivan <michaels@kc2kj.k2nesoft.com>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Collins KWM-2A for sale  
Message-ID: <340883DA.7A04A7D8@kc2kj.k2nesoft.com>

Still for sale....

Collins KWM-2A Winged Emblem.

Perfect operating condition. With PM-2 supply, Crystal pack, and DX Engineering Speech processor all installed. Have old manual as well as new Collins (Rockwell) manual with all updates detailed. Unit works fine, has some scratches on main tuning knob metal insert (not objectionable) and some scratches around front panel trim ring. This is a blue-collar working radio and has been one of my favorite. Tuning is smooth, not stiff. 100 watss output. Sounds good \$750 for the whole lot:

KWM-2A with D1-4 microphone

PM-2

Crystal Pack

DX-Engineering Speech processor (copy of manual)

Original Collins manual and updated ((0.5 inch) thick Rockwell manual).

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 15:48:50 -0500 (EST)  
From: "Roberta J. Barmore" <rbarmore@indy.net>  
To: Eugene Rippen <soundval@foothill.net>  
Cc: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Re: ... the test of time  
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.96.970830152639.12411A-1000000@indy2>

Hi!

While the Vibroplex Original is undoubtedly the single oldest largely-unchanged device in ham radio (it's older than the hobby!), next-oldest is the D-104 mic; introduced in the latter '30s, the original version could be had with four little eye-hooks to hang it from springs in a ring, just like the better carbon mics! It lost the eye-hooks (and soon after gained a PTT version of the stand) early on, but the essential design persists as it started, chrome window screen and all.

...While they're a part rather than a device, on this scale Counsilman's (sic) "UHF" connector for flexible concentric line is brand spanking new! The present metal-and-phenolic U-spring 1/4" jack is a better contender, around since the early '30s. (90-degree flat-spring versions were more popular for many years, though, probably due to materials limitations). ...FWIW, coax, even flexible RG-8-like coax, is

older than coax connectors as we know 'em, especially in amateur service.

As UTC is more or less back, we can probably trace at least one of the present transformer offerings back to the mid-1930s, too. (And has Hammond any transformers or chokes still using older designs? They didn't just fall off the turnip truck!)

A topic with undercurrents of sadness--through the 70s we could point to the National 2.5mH choke and some few of their knobs, dials and variable condensers as survivors, too, along with Millen parts from the original 1939 offerings. Per their illustrations, Hammond does seem to still be making the Hammarlund-designed RFCs, however, and there's some lad who owns the old Cardwell, Hammond, Johnson and maybe other variable condenser designs--they turn up now and again, but production appears limited and small.

73,  
--Bobbi

PS: several folks asked after the "oval eye" AM modulation pattern info--will post when I find it. No indexes to the '30s National \*ads\* in QST, so it's slow going. Odd hook-up, some kind of a phase trick I think).

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 18:49:31 CDT  
From: jackiv@juno.com (John M Iverson)  
To: 4CX250B@miavx1.acs.muohio.edu  
Cc: boatanchors@theporch.com  
Subject: Re: Ham Gear that Stands the Test of Time  
Message-ID: <19970830.185910.8710.1.jackiv@juno.com>

to start, how about the old standby, friction tape, I bought a new roll last week, not 15 cents any more. Without that stuff we could not splice any thing !!

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 20:02:23 -0400 (EDT)  
From: TEARA Club <teara@ipass.net>  
To: boatanchors@theporch.com  
Subject: Screen painting...  
Message-ID: <199708310002.UAA23910@passport.ipass.net>

Do any of you have experience making screens to recondition the faceplates of rigs, or can you point me in the direction of info where I can learn to



do this?? I talked with someone years ago who was doing this for Collins gear he was restoring, and I didn't get the technical info/tricks or the trade, Darn it!

I have several Heath rigs that I'd love to do a repaint on the face, if I could learn how to make the overlays/screens to paint through.

Any help is appreciated!

73 Dave WB4IUY

teara@ipass.net (the address I have the boatanchors stuff come to)

or

wb4iuy@ipass.net

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 20:27:00 -0500  
From: bdhall@ghg.net (Benjamin D. Hall)  
To: boatanchors@sco.theporch.com  
Subject: old BC radio expert needed  
Message-ID: <3.0.32.19970830202530.006e93c8@mailman.ghgcorp.com>

Greetings y'all.

One of my old engine friends has come into an Atwater-Kent 42 and has some questions. I know nothing about AK's or restoring anything this old (1928). Could one of the old BC radio experts contact me off list?

Thanks and 73 y'all,  
Ben

P.S.: Picked up a nice GE Progress Line 2M rig today. 2M FM, here I come!  
he he he

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 21:46:42 -0400  
From: Robert Fowle <hammarlund@jacksonmi.com>  
To: boatanchors@theporch.com  
Cc: BOATANCHORS@LISTSERV.TEMPE.GOV, baswaplist@foothill.net  
Subject: need manual and tube

Message-ID: <3408CD02.3225@jacksonmi.com>

Hi all

need manual for TS 629 B/U audio test panel and the following tube for same: 6C20 it fits an octal base..  
can anybody help???

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Best Regards Robert Fowle KC8DBC  
my shipping address is: 1215 Winifred..Jackson, Mich. 49202-1946  
ICQ web pager: <http://www.mirabilis.com/649056>  
My Web Page: <http://www.jacksonmi.com/hammarlund>

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 97 20:45:28 -0500  
From: "Joseph W. Pinner" <kc5ijd@sprintmail.com>  
To: "Boatanchor 1" <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Tubes for sale  
Message-ID: <199708310150.SAA28012@mailgate32>

Over the past several years, I have accumulated quite a few tubes to use in projects and as spares for my gear. I have an excess of the following types NOS (except as noted) tubes and they are available at the indicated prices, plus shipping:

0A2	\$ 2.50
12AT7WC	4.25
6AG5W/6186	1.50
6AK5W/5654	2.50
6AN5W	1.75
6BA6W/5749	2.50
6BE6W/5750	2.50
6BN8	4.50
6DK6	2.50
6J4WA	2.00
6J6W	2.50
5763	10.00
5881 (used)	7.50

73

Joseph W Pinner  
Lafayette, LA  
KC5IJD  
EMail: [kc5ijd@sprintmail.com](mailto:kc5ijd@sprintmail.com) (NEW PLEASE USE)

[kc5ijd@net-connect.net](mailto:kc5ijd@net-connect.net) (OLD will still be valid for a month or so)

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 18:42:32 +0100  
From: Scott Robinson <spr@earthlink.net>  
To: boatanchors@theporch.com  
Subject: WTB Hammarlund HQ-200 manual  
Message-ID: <v03007802b02e0b52b923@[153.34.139.143]>

=46olks,

This is cross-posted from rec.antiques.radio+phono. BUG HIM, NOT ME! He's in Belgium.

Subject: Cherche manuel HQ200 Hammarlund  
=46rom: boyon, boyon@tornado.be  
Date: 30 Aug 1997 15:28:42 GMT  
Je recherche copie ou original du manuel de  
maintenance du recepteur HAMMARLUND HQ-200  
Tout frais pay=E9  
SWL: ONL 2417  
Merci

TRANSLATION:

I'm looking for a copy or original maintenance manual for a Hammarlund model HQ-200. All expenses reimbursed.

REPLY TO:

boyon@tornado.be

Regards from and DON'T reply to

Scott Robinson  
spr@earthlink.net

Junque is GOOD for you!

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Date: Sat, 30 Aug 1997 23:17:34 -0400 (EDT)  
From: MODSTEPH@ACS.EKU.EDU  
To: boatanchors@theporch.com  
Subject: CX Message repeat  
Message-ID: <01IN2GQW6CYQ009MDD@ACS.EKU.EDU>

...and sorry about the bandwidth. Noticed that some of the frequencies were messed up too... And figured that I had a mix of fonts in constructing the message, which led to the problems. This SHOULD be a cleaned up one - and sorry about that. Be there anyway!!!

73, Al N5AIT  
1997 Fall Classic (& Homebrew) Radio Exchange

The Classic Radio Exchange ("CX") is a contest celebrating the older commercial and homebrew equipment that was the pride of our ham shacks and our bands just a few short decades ago. Our object is to encourage restoration, operation and enjoyment of this older equipment. A "Classic" radio is at least ten years old (age figured from first year of manufacture), but NOT required to participate in the Classic Exchange. YOU MAY USE ANYTHING in the contest, although new gear is a distinct scoring liability. You can still work the "great ones" with your new equipment!

The Classic Exchange will run from 1900 UTC September 28, to 0400 UTC September 29, 1997. Exchange your name, RST, QTH (state/province for US/Canada; country for DX), receiver and transmitter type (homebrew send final amp tube or transistor), and other interesting conversation. The same station may be worked with different equipment combinations on each band and on each mode. CW call "CQ CX;" phone call "CQ Classic Exchange." Non-participants may be worked for credit.

Suggested frequencies:

CW: 3.560, 7.060, 14.120, 21.180, 28.240

Novice/Tech Plus: 3.695, 7.120, 21.180, 28.240

Phone: 3.880, 7.290, 14.280, 21.380, 28.320

7.060 and 3.560 tend to be the most popular CX frequencies.

Scoring: Multiply total QSO's (all bands) by total number of different receivers plus transmitters (transceivers count as both xmtr and rcvr) plus states/provinces/countries worked on each band and mode. Multiply that total by your CX Multiplier, the total years old of all receivers and transmit-ters used, three QSO's minimum per unit. For transceiver, multiply age by two. If equipment is homebrew, count it as a minimum of 25 years old unless actual

construction date or date of its construction article (in the case of a "reproduction") is older:

Total QSO's all bands  
times  
RCVRs + XMTRs + states/provinces/countries  
(total each band and mode separately; add totals together)  
times  
CX Multiplier:

SCORE = QSO's x ( Rx + Tx + QTH's) x CX Mult

Certificates and appropriate memorabilia are awarded every now and then for the highest score, the longest DX, exotic equipment, best excuses and other unusual achievements. Send logs, comments, anecdotes, pictures to Jim Hanlon, P.O. Box 581, Sandia Park, NM 87047, or to Marty Reynolds, AA4RM, POB 13354, Atlanta, GA 30324. Include TWO-stamp SASE for next CX Newsletter and announcement of next CX.

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